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Regarding JP 47-025898, no English language Abstract is available. However, a translation of the Japanese Examiner's comments regarding this reference is provided in the attached Japanese Office Action.

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